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Dear Mr. Sheridan:

**SUBJECT: TANDEM VAN DE GRAAFF AND TANDEM TO BOOSTER TRANSFER
LINE ACCELERATOR SAFETY ENVELOPE**

Reference: Letter from R. Gordon, BAO to T. Sheridan, BNL, Subject: "Operation of
Tandem to Booster Line with Low Mass Ions," dated October 10, 2002

The referenced letter authorized routine transport of low mass ions from the Tandem Van de Graaff to the Booster. Implied, but not specifically expressed in the referenced letter, was the DOE-Brookhaven Area Office (BAO) approval of the associated Tandem Van de Graaff and Tandem to Booster Transfer Line Accelerator Safety Envelope (ASE).

For appropriate document configuration management purposes, this letter informs you that DOE-BAO approved the Tandem Van de Graaff and Tandem to Booster Transfer Line ASE (ASE document dated December 1, 2001). The DOE-BAO ASE approval was effective as of October 10, 2002.

If you have any questions, please call Peter Kelley of my staff at extension 5784.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "M. Holland", is positioned above the printed name.

Michael D. Holland
Area Manager

cc: E. Lessard, BNL
R. Karol, BNL